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BRATTLEBORO LOCAL.

A. L. Tripp and W. E. Sturges have bought Buick automobiles of K. E. Mosher.

The women of the Episcopal church will hold a rummage sale in the vacant store on High street Oct. 20 and 21.

The clerks in Houghton & Simonds's store met last evening in the home of Miss Maude Miller, West Brattleboro, for a social time. Refreshments were served.

Arthur L. Tripp, who recently came into possession of the Melrose hospital property, has sold it to E. A. Pierce of Springfield, Mass. Mr. Tripp says he does not know what the new owner intends to do with the property.

The October meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held in the rest room next Monday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. There is business of importance to come before this meeting and every member is urged to be present.

Charles H. Hubbard, formerly of Brattleboro, who went recently to Hyde Park, Mass., to live, is in the Boston City hospital afflicted with infantile paralysis. It is a mild case, affecting one knee, and the physicians think Mr. Hubbard will recover the use of the knee. He is 55 years old.

Card of Thanks.

It is with the sincerest gratitude that we thank the kind neighbors and friends who gave such willing assistance in our time of need during the sickness and death of our father and grandfather, and those, also, who expressed their sympathy by sending tributes of flowers and words of comfort.

W. S. Allen and family,
H. D. Allen and family,
G. A. Allen and family,
Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Reed,
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HINSDALE, N. H.

Women's Club Begins Meetings.

The Hinsdale Women's club held its first meeting after the summer vacation Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. F. Fisher. The day was ideal and so warm the ladies were able to hold their meeting on the lawn. There was nearly a full attendance of the club membership, and all seemed enthusiastic and ready to take up the work. Considerable merriment was aroused by the roll call, which was responded to by bits of personal domestic tragedy. The newly-elected president, Mrs. Edna B. Holland, in a few well-chosen words modestly assumed the duties of her office. Mrs. Holland paid a glowing tribute to the retiring president, Mrs. L. Jeannette Davis, who had so successfully and efficiently held the office three years. One application for membership was presented, and business relative to the coming year's work was transacted. The genial hostess served refreshments of fruit. The meeting was adjourned to Oct. 17 at Ray's hall, when Miss Barrows will be hostess. Lucia Persis Hutchins of Boston will be present and give the play recital of Frances Hodgson Burnett's *The Dawn of Tomorrow*.

Mrs. Frank White is spending a month in Boston.

The dates for the Congregational fair have been set for Nov. 1 and 2.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cooper of Lebanon were week-end guests of friends in town.

Miss Ann McLaughlin has returned home, after spending two weeks in Boston.

Mrs. G. H. Bailey left Wednesday to spend a few days with relatives in Townshend, Vt.

Mrs. Lucinda Clarke of West Swanzy came Monday for a visit with her son, E. M. Dodge.

The annual business meeting of the Congregational men's class will be held next Monday night.

Miss Minnie Snow left Friday for a visit with her brother, Charles Snow, in Windham, Mass.

M. S. Leach has been attending the Northampton fair this week, having an exhibit of wagons there.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Watkins of Springfield, Vt., were guests over Sunday of their son, John Watkins.

Mrs. W. F. Robertson spent Saturday in Springfield, going by automobile with her mother, Mrs. Hugh Sheridan.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Snow spent Sunday with the latter's sister, Mrs. Clifford Stoddard, in West Chesterfield.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Holby of Battenville, N. Y., recently spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Robertson.

Mrs. W. E. Fay entertained a few friends at dinner and bridge Saturday evening, the occasion being her birthday anniversary.

Miss Myra Owen has returned to town, after spending several weeks with relatives in various towns in Vermont and Tilton, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Smith returned home Monday from Worcester, Mass., where they were called by the illness and death of Mr. Smith's mother.

Mrs. George Steele of Danville, Ill., and Mrs. Lyman Allen of Winona, Minn., have returned to their homes, after being called here to attend the funeral of their father, R. P. Nims, last Friday.

The pupils of the high school are to hold a harvest hall Friday evening in the town hall. A concert will be given from 8 to 8.30 by Lyman's orchestra and dancing will then be in order until 12 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Peck and two children, Wilbur and Florence, of Orange, Conn., and Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Beecher of Wallingford, Conn., have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Fuller and other relatives in town.

The annual meeting of the Congregational church Monday was a very harmonious gathering and largely attended. The officers chosen were: Clerk and treasurer, Mrs. Rest Metcalf; church committee, M. S. Leach, Mrs. Lucy Robertson, Mrs. Irene Leach, Mrs. Hattie Aldrich, E. R. Wentworth, W. G. Booth; benevolence committee, A. L. Hill, F. A. Davis, Mrs. P. A. Davis; visiting committee, Mrs. Juliette Davenport, Mrs. Irene Leach, Mrs. Louise Stearns, Mrs. Carrie Booth, Mrs. C. E. Savage, Mrs. Lucy Robertson, Mrs. Cora Smith, Miss Helen A. Bailey; auditor, W. E. Watson. The officers of the Sunday school remained as before.

EAST DUMMERSTON.

Mrs. Fred Brown is visiting in Brattleboro.

William Whitney of Springfield (Vt.) is a guest at J. K. Crosby's.

Miss Edith Walker is spending a week with relatives in Northampton and Springfield, Mass.

Frank Wilder of Athol, Mass., was a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilder, a few days this week.

The young men will give a dance in Grange hall Friday, Oct. 6. Vignault's singing orchestra of Keene will furnish music.

John Niles was badly hurt last week while threshing oats at George Annand's. A piece of steel flew from the machine and struck him above the right eye. Dr. Burbee of Putney was called to dress the wound.

SOUTH WARDBORO.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Plympton are at their home here for a few weeks.

Merrill Hall of Brattleboro is with his mother, Mrs. J. B. Sage, this week.

Mrs. George Allen has returned home from the Memorial hospital in Brattleboro.

Mrs. Ella Howard of Keene, N. H., spent a few days this week with her sister, Mary Wheeler.

The Community club will meet at the church Saturday at 2 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

Mr. Morehouse and Mr. Clay of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., spent a few days last week at J. C. Duncan's.

Frank Gould, Loren Allen and George Allen attended the Odd Fellows' meeting in Brattleboro Tuesday.

Tickets for The Prince of Pilsen are now on sale. Got yours?—Adv.

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NORTHFIELD, MASS.

Arthur Field has gone to Springfield, where he has a position.

Lester A. Polhemus attended the Brookton fair this week.

Miss Lucy Weatherhead of Vernon is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. N. P. Wood.

Philip Wood returned on Monday to work for the Hartford Rubber company again.

Mrs. Mary Kellogg is the guest of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Kellogg.

Mrs. Garlow and Mrs. Lord of Nebraska are guests of their cousin, Mrs. C. E. Williams.

Robert Murray, Henry Foreman and Rose Spencer returned to Syracuse university this week.

Mrs. Ella Tufts is spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Ray, Jr., in Turners Falls.

Mount Hermon school will show cattle at the National Dairy show in Springfield next week.

Mrs. Roswell Dickinson, who spent the summer with friends in town, returned to Washington, D. C., Monday, where she will stay through the winter with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Taylor and Mrs. Mary Taylor, who spent the summer at their cottage on the Pierson road, have returned to their home in Belleville, N. J., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Osgood and Mrs. Osgood's sister are at the Northfield Hotel. They are here from San Francisco and are spending their days with Mr. Osgood's sisters, Miss Mary and Miss Augusta Osgood.

WEST TOWNSHEND.

Ray M. Deane was a business visitor in Brattleboro Friday.

Miss Edith Clarke spent the week-end with her parents in Jamaica.

Ed. Boyd has finished working for W. H. Taft and will go to Stratton.

A car is to be loaded with cider apples the last of the week at this depot.

Mrs. Ralph Snyder and son, Wilbur, were guests at Dr. George T. Gale's Sunday.

Oscar Wilkinson of South Hadley Falls, Mass., visited his cousin, Mrs. Sarah Carr, recently.

Mrs. and Mrs. George Dompier and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Holden went to Brattleboro Monday.

Darwin Howard and Miss Maude Howard and Miss Emma Moulton spent Sunday at E. W. Holden's.

George Dompier and family visited his sister in South Londonderry Sunday, making the trip by automobile.

O. D. Parker of South Londonderry, John Gould of Windsor and Mr. Foster of Weston were business visitors in town Tuesday.

GUILFORD CENTER.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Thayer returned from their trip to Fitchburg Monday.

Carl and John Castle were home over Sunday from their work in Chesterfield.

Mrs. George Klingler of Woodliff Lake, N. J., came Wednesday for a two-weeks' visit with her sisters, Misses Hill.

Miss Franklin of New York, who had been boarding with the Misses Hill since June, returned to her home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Moore of Bellows Falls, who had been visiting Mrs. Moore's brother and sister, Walter Castle and Mrs. D. Lyon, returned home Wednesday.

Listening Johnny.

If you've got a little business which you'd rather not have known—
Business of a private nature—don't discuss it on the phone.

Inasmuch as your perception is a long way from divine,
You can have no means of knowing who is listening on the line,
And it's rather more than likely that your whispered words may fall
On a pair of ears eavesdropping on the line that gets your call.

For every line's a party line to Johnny,
To strap an office phone to both his ears
Is a foolish employment; and he chortles
With enjoyment.

At the startling revelation that he hears
He's delighted with the idea of a gossip
That a prying sponger's mind could
Fast upon.

Serious talk or idle chatter—anything—it doesn't matter.
For every line's a party line to John.

If you want to tell your sweetheart that you'd rather go to jail
Than endure her cold indifference—you had better use the mail.

When a doctor tells a patient that he ought to hasten south,
He can keep it confidential—if he speaks by word of mouth.

If secretiveness in anything should be your heart's desire,
Don't talk upon the telephone—somebody's on the wire.

For every line's a party line to Johnny,
He hopes to sit and hear the people chin,
And a private conversation fills his soul
With elation.

And he smiles with joy to think he butted in.
He delights to know your sacredest of secrets,

He is keen to hear whatever's going on
With his eager eyes aglisten, he will sit all day and listen.

For every line's a party line to John! —Pittsburgh Post.

Thief Shows Originality.

Thieves are not common in Alaska, but when one does appear he generally exhibits an originality of conduct difficult for less accomplished folks to comprehend. As an instance of this characteristic a thief broke into a store at Douglass recently and stole all the 1916 tags provided for licensed dogs, thus subjecting every canine in town to the danger of being taken up by the dog catcher.

Longest Telephone Line.

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SOUTH LONDONDERRY.

Lyle O. Pierce of Nichols, Florida, came Saturday to visit his friends here.

Mrs. D. L. Benson returned from a several days' visit in Brattleboro Saturday.

Fred and Hugh Vaile are shipping a carload of apples from this station this week.

Mrs. Willard Cook and Mrs. Emma Jameson of East Dorset are visiting at G. M. Tuttle's.

Clarence and George Pierce of Manchester, N. H., are guests of their uncle, J. B. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Converse of Westminster were in town Sunday.

Several from here attended the play, *It Pays to Advertise*, at the matinee Saturday afternoon in Brattleboro.

G. K. Hall has bought a herd of 10 thoroughbred Ayrshire cattle in Pownal, which he drove home this week.

Mrs. W. H. Page in her rooms over the postoffice and Mrs. D. A. Boynton at Riverside Inn are displaying a fine assortment of millinery.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid society had a social and supper at A. C. Carley's Thursday of last week. The day was fine and there was a large attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Williams have gone to Alexander's camp at Simonsville to begin their winter's job. Mrs. Jennie Carey and son, Howard, accompanied them.

Several automobile loads from here attended the annual district meeting of I. O. O. F. in Brattleboro Tuesday evening. West River lodge exemplified the initiatory degree.

WEST DUMMERSTON.

Joseph Baum of Brattleboro is visiting his sister, Mrs. James Clark, Jr.

Mrs. Guy Taft visited Mrs. B. E. Coombs in Brattleboro last week.

Mrs. J. P. O'Brien went Tuesday to Brockton, Mass., to visit relatives.

Mrs. E. C. Cota of Brattleboro was a guest recently of her daughter, Mrs. Maud Kendall.

Miss Caroline Bliss of Newfane visited the first of the week at Mrs. R. A. Knight's.

Miss Harriett Waite of Brattleboro visited her aunt, Miss Emma Blodgett, several days last week.

Mrs. T. F. O'Brien has a number of sunflowers in blossom that are over 12 feet tall, and the blossoms measure 15 inches in diameter and 45 inches in circumference.

A large number attended the reception given Rev. and Mrs. Bishop in Grange hall Wednesday evening. Refreshments of cake, ice-cream and coffee were served and a very pleasant evening was spent.

Candidating in Vermont.

Cost Page \$21,000, Fletcher \$22,000.—Morning News Item, Sept. 27.

You bet that folks up here this week Set up and noticed, when they read How much it cost in old Vermont To keep an inside horse ahead; It's quite a generous sum to pay To show the voters what they want; It also shows the need of dough To run for office in Vermont.

I guess a lot of common folks Will add, subtract and then divide To see just why it comes so high To keep an outside horse outside; You wouldn't s'pose 'twould cost so much To show the voters what they want—

It ain't no place for poor folks, sure, To run for office in Vermont.

I guess that Edmunds when he read That item made an Edmunds pause, And wondered why a man will spend So much to help to make the laws; I guess if Morrill could return To earth from his eternal jaunt He'd think that office comes quite high These days in honest old Vermont.

I'd like to be "upstairs" and hear What Foot and Collamer will say When they find out how much it costs To be a Senator today; I guess you'd hear 'em both remark— "There ain't a single thing we want;

We bless the Lord that we are through With office-holding in Vermont." —Daniel L. Cady in Boston Globe.

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WINDHAM.

O. S. Farwell has moved in to the Earl Holden house at Burbee's mill.

G. E. Eddy and family were home over Sunday, returning to Windsor Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. L. H. Metcalf and daughter attended the union conference at Ludlow Tuesday.

Paul P. Jones is taking a special course of instruction at the agricultural college in Burlington.

D. F. Mattison has moved from the J. F. Hitchcock place to the L. M. Lawrence farm that he lately bought.

The Misses Wood and friend have closed Woodburne cottage and have returned to New York and New Jersey.

Mrs. H. E. Wood of Chester was here for the day last week Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Abbott.

W. G. Adams has been drawing potatoes to Bellows Falls. He has carried this far over 200 bushels and there are more to follow.

Mrs. A. M. Goodell has returned from visiting in Jamaica and South Londonderry and is now visiting Mrs. Hattie P. Jones.

George Chase is moving his goods from South Windham into the Kendall house, where he will live while he works for A. F. Hawkes.

H. E. Rhoades has sold his farm, known as the George Farr farm, to August Carlson. Mr. Carlson's brother will come from Pennsylvania in the spring to occupy it.

F. H. Harris and Misses Mary, Lucy and Dorothy Harris of Chester made an automobile trip to town one day last week, coming through Grafton and calling on friends on the way.

Preparations are being made to put up a mill near Hamilton Falls for getting out pulp wood. The timber will be cut on the tract of land owned by N. H. Seymour of South Lancaster, Mass.

Mrs. Edith Holly, wife of Michael

Holly, suffered an apoplectic shock Sept. 27 and died at 1 a. m. on the next day. She leaves here Mr. Holly and a son, Arthur, five years old. There are other children living in another part of the state. The funeral was held Saturday at the home on the Mack place, Rev. L. H. Metcalf officiating; and the burial took place in the Windham cemetery. Mr. Holly intends to break up house keeping and board near his work in the vicinity of the J. A. Gould mill in North Windham.

BIRTHS.

In Hinsdale, N. H., Sept. 28, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Waters.

In Hinsdale, N. H., Oct. 1, a son to Mr. and Mrs. George Ammann.

MARRIAGES.

In Brattleboro, Oct. 4, by Rev. Delmar E. Trout, Claude Earl Upton and Miss Martha Allen Jones, both of West Dover.

DEATHS.

In Windham, Sept. 28, Mrs. Edith Holly, wife of Michael Holly.

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